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Docket: Sacher II-Div

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Request for Filing
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- ☐ Continuation)
) application under 37 CFR 1.60
☒ Divisional)
) of pending prior application of

Applicants: **Dr. Joachim Sacher**Serial No.: **09/263,481**Filed: **08/March/1999**

Group Art Unit: 2012

Examiner: S. Mulpuri

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
 Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

To effect the above requested filing today:

1. ☒ Attached is a true copy of the prior application, including:
 - ☒ Specification and claims as originally filed;
 - ☒ Copy of Declaration or Oath as originally filed;
 - ☒ 11 Sheet(s) of drawing(s)
2. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 (except the Issue Fee) which will be required now or hereafter, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **500465**
A duplicate copy of this form is attached.
3. ☐ Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application.
4. ☒ Priority is hereby claimed under Rule 55 and 35 USC 119 based on prior foreign application(s):
 No(s): **198 12 562.3**
 filed in (country): **GERMANY**
 on (date): **21/03/98**
5. ☒ The prior application is not assigned.
6. ☒ The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to:
K.J. Bach, Reg. No. 26,832
 - a. ☒ The Power appears in the original papers of the prior application.
 - b. ☐ Since the Power does not appear in the original papers of the prior application,
 - c. ☒ A copy of the Original Declaration is enclosed herewith.
7. ☒ Address all future communications to:
Klaus J. Bach
4407 Twin Oaks Drive
Murrysville, PA 15668 Tel. 724 - 327 - 0664

Fax: 724 - 327 - 0004

8. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

-- This is a Divisional application of
Serial No. 09/263,481 filed 08/March/1999.--

9. ☐ Cancel claim(s) _____ (DO NOT CANCEL ALL CLAIMS)

10. ☒ Status as a Small Entity is requested. Executed Small Entity Declaration(s)

☐ is/are attached.

☒ was/were filed in prior application at filing.

11. ☒ The filing fee is calculated below:

Claims as originally filed, less any claims above canceled.

Highest number previously paid for in Paragraph 11, above, if less than 20, write 20

For:	No. Filed	No. Extra	Rate	Fee
Basic Fee				\$ 710.--
Total Claims	- 20 =	0	x \$ 22 --	0
Indep. Claims	- 3 =	0	x \$ 82 --	0
Multiple Dependent Claims		0	+ \$270 --	0
Small Entity 1/2				\$ 355.--
Total Fee				\$ 355.--

12. ☒ Preliminary Amendment attached, to be entered at once.

Amendment claim fee calculated as follows:

Total Claims	-	**	=	x \$ 22 --	****
Independent Claims	-	***	=	x \$ 82 --	****

Total Amendment Fee \$ _____

Total Filing Fee \$ 355.--

(from paragraph 11)

TOTAL FEE \$ 355.--

** Highest number previously paid for in Paragraph 11, above, if less than 20, write 20.

*** Highest number previously paid for in Paragraph 11, above, if less than 3, write 3.

**** Reduced by 1/2 for small entity.

Respectfully submitted,

K. Bach

Klaus Bach